IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

RONALD MELTON, et al.

CASE NO. C-1-01-528

Plaintiffs

(Judge Spiegel)

VS.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO, et al.

Defendants

STIPULATION TO PLAINTIFFS' VOLUNTARY PARTIAL DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF DEFENDANTS NEYER, DOWLIN, AND PORTUNE ON AN INDIVIDUAL BASIS ONLY UNDER FED. R. CIV. PRO. 41(A)(1); ALL REMAINING CLAIMS SHALL REMAIN INCLUDING THOSE AGAINST OF DEFENDANTS NEYER, DOWLIN, AND PORTUNE IN THEIR REPRESENTATIVE CAPACITY

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the parties making an appearance in the above-styled action hereby stipulate to Plaintiffs' voluntary partial dismissal without prejudice of Defendants Neyer, Dowlin, and Portune on an individual basis ONLY under Fed. R. Civ. Pro. 41(a)(1); all remaining claims shall remain including those against of Defendants Never, Dowlin, and Portune in their representative capacity.

Plaintiffs reserve the right to re-file their claims against Defendants Neyer, Dowlin, and Portune on an individual basis pursuant to the provisions of R.C. §2305.19.

This partial dismissal shall have no affect on Plaintiffs' other claims against Defendants Never, Dowlin, and Portune in their representative capacity or the other defendants which claims shall remain still pending. This voluntary partial dismissal without prejudice does not terminate the current case, there are other parties remaining in this action with issues unresolved between

them, and this action shall be costed-out when all matters in controversy have been settled or adjudicated as to all remaining parties.

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